# ALLIES ARRANGING A SETTLEMENT OF IMPORTANT QUESTIONS AFTER WAR

LONDON, Apr. 22. The conferen ces of the allies going on in Paris are looked upon in well informed quarters as likely to develop means for presenting a united front on many questions, outside of the settlement of territory, when any real prospect for concluding the war comes in sight.

On their face these conferences are to discuss trade and commercial ques tions in which the allies are mutu ally interested. But those who have had much to do in shaping the con ferences say these questions really touch the matter of a war settlement and subsequent peace terms and that the generals in the field may in the first instance have to incorporate them in any preliminary arrangement leading up to the more definite pro tocols and treaties of the civil author It is with this view, to know where they stand, and to have some common end to be definitely present ed from the very outset, that these conferences of the allies are looked upon as considerably more than an academic discussion of trade pro

The need of being thus prepared a the outset to present a joint from even in the first negotiations on the field, has been made apparent by the experience of France in the conclu sion of the Franco-German peace terms. The treaty of Frankfurt then made was preceded by preliminary conferences on the field, when the main lines of settlement were laid down. But all attention was absorbed at the time in the big questions-the cession of Alsace-Lorraine, the pay ment of an indemnity and the with drawal of the German army fron France. Other questions touching the future relations of the country intrade and otherwise wer almost ovr looked in the presence of the main questions. But the French have since learned that the Germans did not overlook these lesser questions. On the contrary they had a trade formula all ready, which was accepted without question in the general confusion, and this trade formula has bound France hand and foot ever since, up to the time the war smashed all treaties and

By the trade formula ingeniously presented at that time Germany was given the "most-favored nation" treatment for an indefinite period in the future in all commercial and tariff dealings with France. As a rule the "most-favored nation" treatment is granted by France for periods of ten years, so that her minimum tariff rates may be given to a country for reciprocal concession granted. But by this little clause slipped into the treaty at that time. France found later she was bound for all time to give Ger many the utmost tariff concession she allowed any other country. This is, if France, through the operation of her minimum and maximum scale of tariff duties, allowed the United States a minimum rate for any particular reason or through reciprocity. Germany was able to claim exactly the same low rate, without reference to

old clause, deftly worked into the peace settlement, was always after regarded by France as a serious embarrassement in her trade dealings with other countries, for every time she made a favorable arrangement with an outside country, Germany got the

There is no purpose that the allies shall be taken unaware in the adjustment of the present war as France was in the former war, and that is one of the main reasons the allies are fully canvassing their trade interests at the Paris conferences. Out of it a pretty full understanding is expected of just what united attitude the allies will take on trade questions, from the very outset of peace preliminaries. even on the field if that be necessary o their incorporation in the final adjustment

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Notice of Application for Permission to Appropriate the Public Waters of the State of Nevada

Notice is heachy given that on the 12th day of April, 1916, in accordance with Section 55, chapter 140, of the Statutes of 1912, the Clay Springs Cattle Jompany a corporation, of Indian springs County of Clark, and State of Nevada made application to the State Engineer of Nevada for permission to appropriate the public waters of the State of Nevada. Such appropriation is to be made from WHd Cat. Spring, at the source situated upon unsurveyed hand, approximately in the NW, of NW, of Sec. 17, T. 8.R. R. 53 E. M. D. U. & M., by means of a transel and 45 such a point on unsurveyed hand, approximately in the NW, of Nevada to a point on unsurveyed land, approximately the NW, of NW, of Sec. 17, T. 8.R. R. 53 E. M. D. T. 8.R. R. 54 E. M. D. T. 8.R. M. D. Water and to be returned to attend of pipes and troughs, and there used for stock and domestic purposes. Water not to be returned to attend.

N. M. KEARNEY, State Engineer.

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Application No. 2888

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Notice of Application for Permission to Appropriate the Public Waters of the State of Nexada

Notice is nereby given that on the Isti day of April, 1916, in accordance with Section 53, Chapter 110, of the Statotes of 1912, the Clay Springs Cattle Company, a corporation, of Indian Springs, County of Clark, and State of Nexada made application to the State Engineer of Nevada for permission to appropriate the public waters of the State of Nevada. Such appropriation is to be made from Beck Spring, at a point on ansurveyed land, approximately in the SW4 of SW4 of Sec. 2. T. S. B. 48 E. M. D. B. & M. by means of a tunnel and 45 cubic feet per second is to be conveyed to a point on unsurveyed land, approximately in the SW4 of SW4 of SW4 of SW4 of SW4 of SW4 of SW4 will be subjected to a point on unsurveyed land, approximately in the SW4 of SW4

Application No. 2889

Notice of Application for Permission to Appropriate the Public Waters of the State of Nevada Notice is hereby given that on the 12th 2day of April, 1216, in accordance with Section 52, Chapter 140, of the Statutes of 1213, the Clay Springs Cattle Company, a corporation, of Indian Springs, County of Clark, and State of Nevada made application to the State Engineer of Nevada for permission to appropriate the public waters of the State of Nevada. Such appropriation is to be made from Chalk Springs at a point on unsurveyed ground, approximately in the SW4, of SW4, of Sec. 5, T. 5 S. R. 54 E. M. D. B. & M., by means of a tunnel and one-milf cubic feet per second is to be conveyed to a p-int on unsurveyed fand, approximately in the SW4, of SW4, of Sec. 9, T. 5 S. R. 54 E. M. D. B. & M., by means of a tunnel and one-milf cubic feet per second is to be conveyed to a p-int on unsurveyed fand, approximately in the SW4, of SW4, of Sec. 9, T. 5 S. R. 54 E. M. D. B. & M., by means of pipes and troughs and there used for stock and domestic purposes. Water not to be returned to stream.

(Signed) W. M. KEARNEY,

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Date of first publication, Apr. 22, 1916,
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NOTICLE is hereby given that Wm. J. Potts, the Administrator of the Estate of William Potts, deceased, has filed and presented for hearing and determination his Petition for Distribution of said estate, and that Monday, the list day of May, 1916, at ten o'clock A. M. of that day, at the court-room of said court, in the court house, Town of Tonopan, County of Nye, State of Nevada, has been set by the Court, for the hearing of the Petition for Distribution of said estate, at which time and place any person interested in said estate may appear and file his exceptions in writing to said Petition and contest the same.

Dated Friday, April 7, 1916.

Seal of Court) Clerk of Court.

A. J. MAESTRETTI,

Attorney for Administrator,

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